



# HF Happenings 1002

## Calling all the radio amateurs from the May RAE and Prieska RAE!

The SARL Newbie Contest is a fun activity to encourage all NEW radio amateurs to become active. The first leg of the QSO Party is on the air from 08:00 to 20:00 UTC on Saturday 2 July 2022 with phone activity on 20, 40 and 80 metres. The exchange and the score are based on the length of time that you are a radio amateur. If the contact is made with a newbie radio amateur, who is an amateur less than one year, the points are doubled. Submit your MS Excel log sheet by 21:59 UTC on Thursday 7 July by e-mail to [zs3vdk@webmail.co.za](mailto:zs3vdk@webmail.co.za). A certificate will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places. Get the rules on page 35 of the 2022 Blue Book.



## The ZS5 QSO Party

The ZS5 QSO Party is a fun activity to promote contacts between radio amateurs in Kwazulu-Natal and radio amateurs in Southern African countries. The aim for stations outside ZS5 is to work as many ZS5 stations as possible! The QSO Party is on the air from 14:00 to 15:00 UTC on Sunday 3 July 2022. ZS5 stations will exchange a RS or RST report and the name or abbreviation of their town, while all others will exchange a RS or RST report and their provincial or country abbreviation. The QSO Party is a phone and CW contest on the 40-metre band. Take note of the contest free segment in the phone allocation. Submit your MS Excel log by 21:59 UTC on Friday 8 July 2022 by e-mail to [zs5contest@harc.org.za](mailto:zs5contest@harc.org.za). Turn to page 48 of the 2022 Blue Book for all the rules.

## The Results of the SARL Top Band QSO Party

### June

30 – the Sandton ARC Talking Tech Power Hour

### July

1 – the SARL Financial Year starts and registration for the October RAE opens  
2 – the SARL Newbie Contest  
3 - the ZS5 QSO Party  
7 - International Chocolate Day and the closing date for Newbie logs  
8 – the Day of Arafah and the closing date for ZS5 logs  
9 - Eid al-Adha and the RaDAR Challenge  
9 and 10 – the IARU HF Championships  
16 – the Winter QRP contest  
17 – the ZS2 QSO Party  
19 – the provincial schools open  
20 – the SARL 80 m Club Contest  
21 – the closing date for QRP logs  
22 – the closing date for ZS2 logs  
23 – the AMSAT SA Space Symposium  
25 Closing date for Club contest logs  
28 – the Sandton ARC Talking Tech Power Hour  
28 and 29 – the Delta Aquarids Meteor Shower  
30 – the Islamic New Year and the Pretoria ARC Flea Market  
30 and 31 – the RSGB IOTA contest

Nineteen logs were received for the SARL Top Band QSO Party held from 8 to 12 June 2022. These 19 logs contained 490 QSOs between 63 stations from 24 different grids. All the QSOs were made on phone, no CW QSOs were listed in any of the received logs. The 63 stations are made up from ZS1 – 0 stations; ZS2 – 3 stations; ZS3 – 4 stations; ZS4 – 6 stations; ZS5 – 4 stations; ZS6 – 45 stations and V51 – 1 station.

- 1<sup>st</sup> Cliff Jones, ZS6BJU – 124 points
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Johan van Zijl, ZS4DZ – 116 points
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Lukas Holtzhausen, ZS6LH – 112 points
- 4<sup>th</sup> Gert du Plessis, ZR6GRT; Danie Schnetler, ZS6DPS and Phillip van Tonder, ZS6PVT – 108 points
- 7<sup>th</sup> Gerhard Coetzee, ZS3TG and Kobus Boshoff, ZS6BOS - 98 points
- 9<sup>th</sup> Johann Bezuidenhout, ZS6JBZ - 80 points
- 10<sup>th</sup> Karin Andrews, ZS6MMA - 70 points
- 11<sup>th</sup> Anthony Rouquette, ZS6ANT - 66 points
- 12<sup>th</sup> Keith Barker, ZS6HI - 64 points
- 13<sup>th</sup> Romeo Nardini, ZS6ARQ - 54 points
- 14<sup>th</sup> Herman Kleynhans, ZS6HKL - 50 points
- 15<sup>th</sup> Fred Adams, ZS6FWA - 38 points
- 16<sup>th</sup> Garth Moore, ZS2AAR and Steve Brooks, ZS3SB - 24 points
- 18<sup>th</sup> Roger Young, ZS6YX - 22 points
- 19<sup>th</sup> Dylan MacDonald, ZS2MAC - 8 points

### **The results of the Hammies QSO Party**

Fifteen logs were received for the Hammies QSO Party held on Sunday 12 June 2022.

Hammies station (26 and younger)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Hammies Northern Cape, ZS3ZU – 109 points (operated by Charles Coetzee, ZU3CEC; Henry Coetzee, ZU3HC and Ethan Oberholzer, ZU3EO)

Not Hammies station (27 and older)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Deon Fraser, ZS5DCF - 131 points
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Gerhard Coetzee, ZS3TG - 120 points
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Woody Collett, ZS3WL - 104 points
- 4<sup>th</sup> Kobus Boshoff, ZS6BOS - 102 points
- 5<sup>th</sup> Hammies Free State, ZS4ZU - 100 points (operated by Jacques Louw, ZS4WW)
- 6<sup>th</sup> Hammies Kwazulu-Natal, ZS5ZU - 95 points (operated by Keith Lowes, ZS5WFD)
- 7<sup>th</sup> Johannes van Zyl, ZS4DZ - 85 points
- 8<sup>th</sup> Hammies Eastern Cape, ZS2ZU – 73 points (operated by Dave Higgs, ZS2DH)
- 9<sup>th</sup> Hammies Northern Provinces, ZS6ZU - 68 points (operated by Graham Busse, ZS6GL)
- 10<sup>th</sup> Theunis Potgieter, ZS2EC - 64 points
- 11<sup>th</sup> Gary Sam, ZS6GS - 52 points
- 12<sup>th</sup> Noel Hammond, ZR6DX - 49 points
- 13<sup>th</sup> Henk Coetzer, ZS3HC - 47 points
- 14<sup>th</sup> Keith Barker, ZS6HI - 30 points

### **The Results of the SARL Youth QSO Party**

Thirteen logs were received for the SARL Youth QSO Party held on Thursday 16 June 2022.

Youth Stations

- 1<sup>st</sup> Charles Coetzee, ZU3CEC – 65 points
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Ethan Oberholzer, ZU3EO – 56 points

3<sup>rd</sup> Monique Wiese, ZU3MW – 54 points  
4<sup>th</sup> Henry Coetze, ZU3HC - 38 points

Not a Youth station

1<sup>st</sup> Chris Avenant, ZS6CPA - 50 points  
2<sup>nd</sup> Kobus Boshoff, ZS6BOS - 29 points  
3<sup>rd</sup> Johannes Van Zijl, ZS4DZ - 26 points  
4<sup>th</sup> Stefan Terblanche, ZS3XY - 19 points  
5<sup>th</sup> Theunis Potgieter, ZS2EC - 17 points  
6<sup>th</sup> Esmarie Lotriet, ZS3EL - 16 points  
7<sup>th</sup> Pieter Nel, ZS3PN - 14 points  
8<sup>th</sup> Nelliuss Van Niekerk, ZS3NN - 11 points  
9<sup>th</sup> Maryke Nel, ZS3MN - 10 points

## The Results of the SARL Saturday 40 m Club Contest

Fifty-one logs have been received for the SARL Saturday 40 m Club Contest held on 18 June. But one of these logs has more questions than answers! The QSOs in the log are being investigated. The results will be published once the investigation has been completed.

## DX from Africa

*(These count towards your All Africa Award)*

Algeria, 7X. Celebrating the 60th anniversary of Algeria's independence from France (5 July 1962), special call sign 7T60A will be active between 1 and 30 July. OSL via 7X2VFK.

Ghana, 9G. Haim, DG5HL (4Z1HL) has returned to Accra where he is operating as 9G5AF. QSL via EA5GL direct or the Bureau, eQSL, LoTW.

Namibia, V5. Hanspeter, HB9BFM operates as V5/HB9BFM from Lüderitz and Samplon/Sandverhaar between 1 and 12 July on 80 to 15 m. QSL via HB9BFM direct or the Bureau and LotW.



## African Islands

*(These unfortunately DO NOT count towards your All Africa Award)*

Madagascar, 5R. Bernard, F9VO moved to Madagascar AF-057 in 2021 and operates as 5R8BM since 17 June from Diabala on Nosy Be Island. QSL via F9VO direct or the Bureau.

## Contest Calendar

This week's contests as compiled by Bruce Horn, WA7BNM.  
The period covered is 20 to 27 June 2022.

K1USN Slow Speed Test  
00:00 - 01:00 UTC 27 June  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high

- Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;
- QRP: 5 watts
- Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - Name and state, province or country
- Work stations: Once per band
- QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
- Multipliers: Each state/province/country once per band; W/VF do not count as country mults

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 29 June 2022  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html>

QCX Challenge  
 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 27 June and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 28 June  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op  
 Max power: HP: >5 watts; QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: RST, name, state, province or country and rig  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 3 points per QSO with QCX station; 1 point per QSO with non-QCX station  
 Multipliers: (none)  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points  
 Submit logs by: 04:00 UTC 3 July 2022  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <http://www.qrp-labs.com/party.html>



ICWC Medium Speed Test  
 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 27 June and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 28 June  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: Name and QSO no  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each call once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 04:00 UTC 30 June 2022  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at:  
<https://internationalcwcouncil.org/mst-contest/>

OK1WC Memorial (MWC)  
 16:30 - 17:29 UTC 27 June  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 80, 40 m  
 Classes: Single Op All Band - QRP or low; Single Op Single Band - QRP or low  
 Max power: LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: RST and serial no  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each last character of worked station call suffix once per band  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 06:00 UTC 1 July 2022  
 E-mail logs to: (none)  
 Upload log at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=logs>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=rules2>

RSGB FT4 Contest  
 19:00 - 20:30 UTC 27 June  
 Geographic Focus: United Kingdom  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: FT4  
 Bands: 80, 40, 20 m  
 Classes: 100 W; 10 W  
 Exchange: 4-character grid square  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each large locator square  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 21:30 UTC 28 June 2022

Upload log at: <https://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

[https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2022/r80m\\_ft4.shtml](https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2022/r80m_ft4.shtml)

Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest  
01:00 - 01:59 UTC 28 June  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: SSB  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6 m  
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high - Overlay:  
Youth (26 years old or younger); Youth YL  
(female 26 years old or younger); YL (female  
older than 26 years  
Max power: HP: 1 500 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: RS and age group (OM, YL, Youth YL  
or Youth)  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with OM; 5 points  
per QSO with YL; 10 points per QSO with  
Youth; 15 points per QSO with Youth YL  
Multipliers: Each DXCC once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 01:59 UTC 29 June 2022  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Upload log at: <https://logs.wwsac.com/>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <https://wwsac.com/rules.html>

RTTYOPS Week Sprint  
17:00 - 19:00 UTC 28 June  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: RTTY  
Bands: 80, 40, 20 m  
Classes: Single Op  
Max operating hours: 2 hours  
Exchange: other station's call, your call, serial  
no and your name  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: (none)  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
points  
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 5 July 2022  
E-mail logs to: [rtty-week-tuesday@rttyops.com](mailto:rtty-week-tuesday@rttyops.com)

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://rttyops.com/>

Phone Weekly Test

02:30 - 03:00 UTC 29 June

Geographic Focus: North America

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: SSB

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 m

Classes: Single Op

Max power: 100 watts

Exchange: NA: Name and state, province or  
country; non-NA: Name

Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO; non-  
NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station

Multipliers: Each US state (including KH6/KL7)  
once per band; Each VE province/territory  
once per band; Each North American country  
(except W/VE) once per band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO  
points x total mults

Submit logs by: 03:00 UTC 1 July 2022

E-mail logs to: (none)

Post log summary at:

<http://www.3830scores.com>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

[http://www.perluma.com/Phone\\_Fray\\_Contest\\_Rules.pdf](http://www.perluma.com/Phone_Fray_Contest_Rules.pdf)



A1Club AWT

12:00 - 13:00 UTC 29 June

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high

Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: Member: RST and Name

Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each call once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 4 July 4, 2022  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <https://a1club.org/contest/awt/>

CWops Test (CWT)  
 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 29 June and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC and 07:00 - 08:00 UTC 30 June  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Awards: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: Member: Name and member no or "CWA"; non-Member: Name and state, province or country  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each call once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 08:00 UTC 2 July 2022  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <https://cwops.org/cwops-tests/>



Mini-Test 40  
 17:00 - 17:59 UTC 29 June  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW

Bands: 40 m Only  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: RST and serial no  
 Work stations: Once per 10 minute period  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each call once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 1 July 2022  
 Upload log at:  
[https://ua9qcq.com/en/submit\\_log.php?lang=en](https://ua9qcq.com/en/submit_log.php?lang=en)  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <http://minitest.narod.ru/>

Mini-Test 80  
 18:00 - 18:59 UTC 29 June  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 80 m Only  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: RST and serial no  
 Work stations: Once per 10 minute period  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each call once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 1 July 2022  
 Upload log at:  
[https://ua9qcq.com/en/submit\\_log.php?lang=en](https://ua9qcq.com/en/submit_log.php?lang=en)  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <http://minitest.narod.ru/>

RTTYOPS Week Sprint  
 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 30 June  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: RTTY  
 Bands: 80, 40, 20 m  
 Classes: Single Op  
 Max operating hours: 2 hours  
 Exchange: other station's call, your call, serial no and your name  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

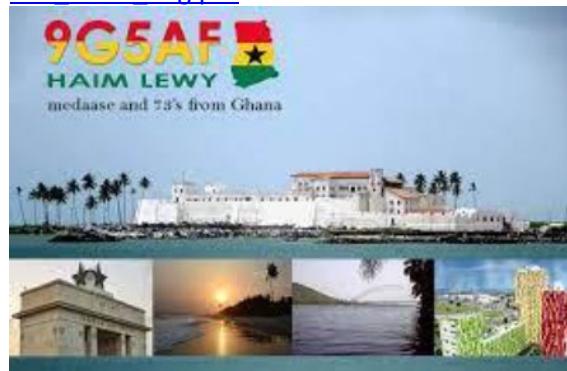
Multipliers: (none)  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points  
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 7 July 2022  
E-mail logs to: [rtty-week-thursday@rttyops.com](mailto:rtty-week-thursday@rttyops.com)  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://rttyops.com/>

EACW Meeting  
19:00 - 20:00 UTC 30 June  
Geographic Focus: Spain  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 80, 40 m  
Classes: Single Op  
Exchange: EACW Member: RST, member no and nickname; EA non-Member: RST, nickname and EA province; non-EA: RST, nickname and DXCC prefix  
Work stations: Once per band  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: (none)  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points  
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 2 July 2022

E-mail logs to: (none)  
Post log summary at:  
<https://www.eacwspain.es/subir-puntuacion-meeting/>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
<https://www.eacwspain.es/eacwmeeting/>

RAC Canada Day Contest  
00:00 - 23:59 UTC 1 July  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW, Phone  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2 m  
Classes: Single Op All Band - low or high; Single Op Assisted All Band - low or high; Single Op All Band CW; Single Op All Band Phone; Single Op QRP; Single Op Single Band; Single Op Overlay: Rookie; Multi-Single - low or high; Multi-Multi  
Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: VE: RS(T) and province/territory; non-VE: RS(T) and serial no  
Work stations: Once per band per mode

QSO Points: 2 points per QSO with non-VE stations; 10 points per QSO with VE stations; 20 points per QSO with RAC stations  
Multipliers: Each VE province/territory once per band per mode  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 15 July 2022  
E-mail logs to: [canadaday@rac.ca](mailto:canadaday@rac.ca)  
Upload log at: <https://contest.rac.ca/>  
Mail logs to: Radio Amateurs of Canada, 720 Belfast Road, Suite 217, Ottawa, Ontario K1G 0Z5, Canada  
Find rules at: [https://www.rac.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/CanadaDayContest2022\\_Rules\\_eng.pdf](https://www.rac.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/CanadaDayContest2022_Rules_eng.pdf)



QRP Fox Hunt  
01:00 - 02:30 UTC 1 July  
Geographic Focus: United States  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 20 m Only  
Classes: Single Op - fox or hound  
Max power: 5 watts  
Exchange: RST, state, province or country, name and power output  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: (none)  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points  
Submit logs by: 02:30 UTC 2 July 2022  
E-mail logs to: (see rules)  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at:  
[http://www.qrpfoxyhunt.org/summer\\_rules.htm](http://www.qrpfoxyhunt.org/summer_rules.htm)

NCCC RTTY Sprint  
01:45 - 02:15 UTC 1 July  
Geographic Focus: North America  
Participation: Worldwide

Mode: RTTY  
Bands: (see rules)  
Classes: (none)  
Exchange: Serial no, name and QTH  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 3 July 2022  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Post log summary at: <http://www.3830scores.com/>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <https://ncccsprint.com/rttyns.html>



NCCC Sprint  
02:30 - 03:00 UTC 1 July  
Geographic Focus: North America  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: (see rules)  
Classes: (none)  
Exchange: Serial no, name and QTH  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 3 July 2022  
E-mail logs to: (none)  
Post log summary at: <http://www.3830scores.com/>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <https://ncccsprint.com/rules.html>

K1USN Slow Speed Test  
20:00 - 21:00 UTC 1 July  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
QRP: 5 watts  
Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - Name and state, province or country  
Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
Multipliers: Each state/province/country once per band; W/VE do not count as country mults  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 3 July 2022  
Post log summary at: <http://www.3830scores.com>  
Mail logs to: (none)  
Find rules at: <http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html>

Venezuelan Independence Day Contest  
00:00 - 23:59 UTC 2 July  
Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW, SSB, PSK  
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
Classes: Single Op All Band CW, SSB, PSK or mixed; Single Op Single Band CW, SSB, PSK or mixed; Multi-Single; SWL  
Exchange: RS(T) and serial no  
Work stations: Once per band per mode  
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with same country; 3 points per QSO with different country, same continent; 5 points per QSO with different continent  
Multipliers: Each Venezuelan call area and each DXCC country once per band  
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
Submit logs by: 31 July 2022  
E-mail logs to: [contestyv@gmail.com](mailto:contestyv@gmail.com)  
Mail logs to: Radio Club Venezolano, Concurso Independencia de Venezuela, PO Box 20285, Caracas 1020-A, Venezuela  
Find rules at: [https://radioclubvenezolano.org/independencia\\_venezuela.html](https://radioclubvenezolano.org/independencia_venezuela.html)

NZART Memorial Contest  
08:00 - 11:00 UTC 2 July and 08:00 - 11:00 UTC 3 July  
Geographic Focus: VK/ZL/S.Pacific  
Participation: Worldwide  
Mode: CW, SSB  
Bands: 80 m Only  
Classes: Single-Op CW, SSB or mixed; Multi-Op CW, SSB or mixed  
Max power: 100 watts  
Exchange: RS(T) and serial no  
Work stations: Once per mode per day

QSO Points: 1 point per SSB QSO; 2 points per CW QSO

Multipliers: Each ZL, VK or South Pacific prefix once per mode

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 31 July 2022

E-mail logs to: [contests@nzart.org.nz](mailto:contests@nzart.org.nz)

Mail logs to: NZART Contest Manager, 38A Sneyd Street, Kaiapoi 7630, New Zealand

Find rules at:

<https://www.nzart.org.nz/activities/contests/memorial-contest/>

Marconi Memorial HF Contest

14:00 UTC 2 July to 14:00 UTC 3 July

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m

Classes: Single Op All Band - QRP, low or high; Single Op Single Band - high; Multi-Op

Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;

QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: RST and serial no

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Multipliers: Each CQ WW country once per band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 14:00 UTC 17 July 2022

E-mail logs to: (none)

Upload log at:

<http://www.arifano.it/uplog.php>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at:

[http://www.arifano.it/contest\\_marconi.html](http://www.arifano.it/contest_marconi.html)

Original QRP Contest

15:00 UTC 2 July to 15:00 UTC 3 July

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: CW, SSB

Bands: 80, 40, 20 m

Classes: Single Op – VLP, QRP or MP – handmade or open

Max operating hours: 15 hours

Max power: VLP: 1 W; QRP: 5 W; MP: 20 W

Exchange: RST and serial no and "/" and Power category

QSO Points: QSO with station who submits log: 4 points; QSO with station that does not submit log: 1 point; 15% bonus for use of TR/TRX assembled from kit; 30% bonus for use of unique handmade TR/TRX

Multipliers: DXCC Countries: 2 mult points if station submits log, 1 mult point if no log

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mult points

Submit logs by: 31 July 2022

E-mail logs to: [qrpcc@qrpcc.de](mailto:qrpcc@qrpcc.de)

Mail logs to: Lutz Gutheil, DM6EE, Bergstrasse 17, D-38446 Wolfsburg, Germany

Find rules at:

<http://www.qrpcc.de/contestrules/oqrpr.html>



PODXS 070 Club 40 m Firecracker Sprint

20:00 UTC 2 July to 20:00 UTC 3 July

Geographic Focus: Worldwide

Participation: Worldwide

Mode: PSK31

Bands: 40 m Only

Classes: QRP; Low Power; Medium Power; High Power

Max operating hours: 6

Max power: High Power: 100 watts; Medium Power: 50 watts; Low Power: 25 watts; QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: RST and state, province or country

QSO Points: 1 point/QSO

Multipliers: Each state, province and DXCC country once only

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by: 10 July 2022

Upload log at: <http://www.podxs070.com/>

Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: <http://www.podxs070.com/o70-club-sponsored-contests/40-m-firecracker-sprint>

K1USN Slow Speed Test

00:00 - 01:00 UTC 4 July  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: Maximum 20 wpm - Name and state, province or country  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each state/province/country once per band; W/VE do not count as country mults  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC July 6, 2022  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <http://www.k1usn.com/sst.html>



ICWC Medium Speed Test  
 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 4 July  
 and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 5 July  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10 m  
 Classes: Single Op - QRP, low or high  
 Max power: HP: >100 watts; LP: 100 watts;  
 QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: Name and QSO no  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each call once  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 04:00 UTC 7 July 2022  
 Post log summary at:  
<http://www.3830scores.com>

Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at:  
<https://internationalcw council.org/mst-contest/>  
  
 OK1WC Memorial (MWC)  
 16:30 - 17:29 UTC 4 July  
 Geographic Focus: Worldwide  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 80, 40 m  
 Classes: Single Op All Band - QRP or low; Single Op Single Band - QRP or low  
 Max power: LP: 100 watts; QRP: 5 watts  
 Exchange: RST and serial no  
 Work stations: Once per band  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: Each last character of worked station call suffix once per band  
 Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults  
 Submit logs by: 06:00 UTC July 8, 2022  
 E-mail logs to: (none)  
 Upload log at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=logs>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at: <https://memorial-ok1wc.cz/index.php?page=rules2>

RSGB 80 m CW Club Championship  
 19:00 - 20:30 UTC 4 July  
 Geographic Focus: United Kingdom  
 Participation: Worldwide  
 Awards: United Kingdom  
 Mode: CW  
 Bands: 80 m Only  
 Classes: (none)  
 Exchange: RST and serial no  
 QSO Points: 1 point per QSO  
 Multipliers: (none)  
 Score Calculation: (see rules)  
 Submit logs by: 23:59 UTC 5 July 2022  
 Upload log at: <http://www.rsgbcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl>  
 Mail logs to: (none)  
 Find rules at:  
[https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2022/r80\\_mcc.shtml](https://www.rsgbcc.org/hf/rules/2022/r80_mcc.shtml)

## Next Week's Contests



ARS Spartan Sprint, 01:00 - 03:00 UTC 5 July  
Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest, 01:00 - 01:59 UTC 5 July  
RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 5 July  
Phone Weekly Test, 02:30 - 03:00 UTC 6 July  
A1Club AWT, 12:00 - 13:00 UTC 6 July  
CWops Test, 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 6 July and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC and 07:00 - 08:00 UTC 7 July  
Mini-Test 40 17:00 - 17:59 UTC 6 July  
Mini-Test 80 18:00 - 18:59 UTC 6 July  
Walk for the Bacon QRP Contest 00:00 - 01:00 UTC 7 July and 02:00 - 03:00 UTC 8 July  
NRAU 10 m Activity Contest 17:00 - 18:00 UTC (CW) and 18:00 - 19:00 UTC (SSB) and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC (FM) and 20:00 - 21:00 UTC (Dig) 7 July  
RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 7 July  
SKCC Sprint Europe, 19:00 - 21:00 UTC 7 July  
EACW Meeting, 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 7 July  
QRP Fox Hunt, 01:00 - 02:30 UTC 8 July  
NCCC RTTY Sprint, 01:45 - 02:15 UTC 8 July  
NCCC Sprint, 02:30 - 03:00 UTC 8 July  
K1USN Slow Speed Test, 20:00 - 21:00 UTC 8 July  
SKCC Weekend Sprintathon, 12:00 UTC 9 July to 24:00 UTC 10 July  
IARU HF World Championship, 12:00 UTC 9 July to 12:00 UTC 10 July  
QRP ARCI Summer Homebrew Sprint, 20:00 - 23:00 UTC 10 July  
4 States QRP Group Second Sunday Sprint, 00:00 - 02:00 UTC 11 July  
K1USN Slow Speed Test, 00:00 - 01:00 UTC 11 July  
ICWC Medium Speed Test 13:00 - 14:00 UTC and 19:00 - 20:00 UTC 11 July and 03:00 - 04:00 UTC 12 July  
OK1WC Memorial, 16:30 - 17:29 UTC 11 July  
Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest, 01:00 - 01:59 UTC 12 July  
RTTYOPS Week Sprint, 17:00 - 19:00 UTC 12 July

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